



AT
lfe
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

August 18, 2009

Applicants: Hideo SANO et al

For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING HIGH-STRENGTH ALUMINUM ALLOY
EXTRUDED PRODUCT EXCELLING IN CORROSION RESISTANCE AND
STRESS CORROSION CRACKING RESISTANCE

Serial No.: 10/666 216

Group: 1793

Confirmation No.: 8302

Filed: September 18, 2003

Examiner: Yang

Atty. Docket No.: 3796.P0042US

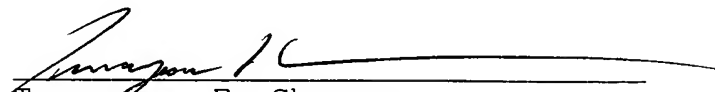
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

STATUS REQUEST

Sir:

A Notice of Appeal, Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review and a Time Extension were filed on June 17, 2009. Copies of these papers plus a postal card evidencing receipt by the Patent Office are enclosed herewith. Please inform Applicant of the status of the present application as the pre-appeal proceedings are ordinarily to be carried out within two months of the request.

Respectfully submitted,


Terryence F. Chapman

TFC/smd

FLYNN, THIEL, BOUTELL	David G. Boutell	Reg. No. 25 072
& TANIS, P.C.	Terryence F. Chapman	Reg. No. 32 549
2026 Rambling Road	Mark L. Maki	Reg. No. 36 589
Kalamazoo, MI 49008-1631	Liane L. Churney	Reg. No. 40 694
Phone: (269) 381-1156	Brian R. Tumm	Reg. No. 36 328
Fax: (269) 381-5465	Heon Jekal	Reg. No. 64 219
	Eugene J. Rath III	Reg. No. 42 094
	Dale H. Thiel	Reg. No. 24 323
	Sidney B. Williams, Jr.	Reg. No. 24 949

Encl: Copy of Petition for Time Extension
Copy of Notice of Appeal
Copy of Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review
Copy of Postal Card Evidencing Receipt by PTO
Postal Card

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on August 18, 2009.


Terryence F. Chapman

110.10/07